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In re the application of: Stuart B. Levy and Mark L. Nelson

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND
ELECTION OF SPECIES UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action (Paper No. 9) dated March 22, 2000 in the above-referenced application.

REMARKS

Election/Restriction

The Examiner has required restriction of the claims in the present application to one of the following inventions: